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AND
ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.

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VENDUE.

ON TUESDAY and FRIDAY, in every week, at 10 o'clock in the morning, will be exposed for sale at the Vendue-Store corner of Prince and Water streets,

A VARIETY OF

Wet and Dry Goods,

of which the particulars will be given previous to the sale.

The business of VENDUE MASTER having devolved entirely on the subscriber, he informs the Public, that the store will always be kept open for the reception of GOODS, and selling such articles therein, between the times of Public Sales, as may be on limitation. He likewise offers his services in transacting any kind of Commission Business,

PHILIP G. MARSTELLER.

AUCTION ROOM AND COMMISSION STORE.

THE Subscribers respectfully inform their Friends and the Public in general, that they have commenced business in the line of Commission Merchants and Auctioneers, in that commodious house on Union street, two doors south of Messrs. John and Thomas Vowell's (adjacent to which they have a large warehouse fronting on the wharf) which will always be kept open for the reception of goods, and for selling such articles by wholesale only, between the times of public sale, as may be under limitation. The days of public sale at the Auction Room will be MONDAY and THURSDAY in every week—the particulars of which will be notified previous thereto.

HENRY & THOMAS MOORE.

September 1.

Notice.

THE subscribers to the COLUMBIAN MIRROR are hereby informed that I have this day relinquished all claim or title thereto as editor or proprietor: and that all debts due for subscriptions, advertisements or any other business done at said office must be paid into the hands of Mr. John Fowler, or any agent he may appoint to collect the same.

ELLIS PRICE.

Sept. 11.

Milford for Sale,

THIS MILL is situated about 5½ miles from Alexandria, on Holmes's Run, a constant stream, she is in good order for manufacturing grain, has a pair of excellent Burr stones, and a pair of Cullens, a good bolting cloth, screen, elevators, hopper-boy, &c. there is but one water wheel up at present, another now one framed and ready to put up, the burr mine can grind 30,000 bushells of wheat in the year, there is on the premises a good log house, meat house, stable and cabbin, with the improvements is 44 acres of land mostly in wood, the whole in fee simple. This Mill is well situated for the purchase of produce, being within three quarters of a mile from each of the turnpike roads leading to the westward. If required a credit will be given for a considerable part of the purchase money, if not sold before the 10th of October next, it will be offered for sale on that day at the Coffee house in Alexandria and terms made known.

ROBERT ALLISON.

Sept. 13.

NOTICE.

HEREBY caution all persons from trusting my wife Ann Woodward on my account, I am determined to pay no debts of her contracting, after this date. And I also caution the public against contracting with her for any of my property.

THOMAS WOODWARD.

Sept. 13. 3t

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY, on the 31st of August, two Negro men by the names of GEORGE BOSTON, brothers. George is a black, well set man, aged 27 years, about 5 feet 4 inches high, talkative and fond of liquor. Boston is a spare made man, yellow complexion, about 24 years, artfull, very talkative, and about 5 feet 6 inches high. They each had on homespun linen; as to their other clothes they may have, as each of them had a variety. Whoever takes up the said Negroes and secures them in any jail, so that I get them again, shall have the above reward, and all reasonable charges, if brought home to the subscriber, living in Fairfax county, Virginia, near the Great Falls of Potomac.

THOMAS FINCH.

N. B. All masters of vessels, and others, are forewarned from harbouring or carrying them off at their peril.

Sept. 9. 3t

SPRING GOODS.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS RECEIVED, By the Brig Union, capt. Leonard, from London,

An extensive & general

Assortment of Goods,

Which will be opened immediately, at his Warehouse, in Fairfax Street, viz.

German and British Osnaburgs
Hempen rolls
German dowlas
White & brown Russia sheetings
Irish linens
Platillas, Britannias
Checks
Calicoes & ginghams
Plain, tambour'd and open work'd muslins
Tamboured and plain muslin banks.
Striped, coloured and plain nankeens,
Superfine cloths and kerseymires
Modes, lustrings and Florentines
Silk and cotton hose
Osnaburg, Nun's and coloured threads
Twist and sewing silk
Ladies' kid sandals
Writing paper and quills
Pombazeens, durants and wildboars
Carpets and carpeting
Pins, 8½, 4 and 4½
4, 6, 8, 10, 12 & 20d nails
Shot and bar lead
Weeding hoes
Cradling and grass scythes
Spades and shovels
Lond. Porter in casks of 6 dozen
Earthen ware assorted in hhds.
Window glass of different sizes

And for Sale by

JAMES WILSON.

May 20.

By virtue of a deed of trust from Mr. Robert Hamilton, to the Subcriber, will be sold at public auction, on the 10th day of October next,

That valuable House & Lot

on the corner of Washington and Prince streets, at present in the tenure of Mr. James Hamilton. The unimproved part of this property will be divided into eight convenient building lots, to accommodate purchasers. Terms of sale—For Notes negotiable in the Bank of Alexandria, with approved indorsers, payable one half in 6, and the balance in 12 months.

JOHN C. HERBERT, Trustee.

Aug. 28.

RICHARD BOWEN

offers to the consideration of the Citizens throughout the United States, the following

PROPOSALS,

For publishing (weekly) in the City of WASHINGTON,

A NEWSPAPER

TO BE ENTITULED

The CITY REGISTER.

THE size will be equal to any of the daily papers on the continent, and printed on an elegant type.

The price, three dollars per annum—one half of which to be paid on receipt of the first No. the other half at the expiration of six months thereafter.

It will commence with the Session of Congress in December next—contain all the interesting proceedings of that body, and such other authentic national documents as come within the compass of the Editor's power to obtain. Also, as full and faithful a relation of foreign and domestic occurrences as will be found in any other paper of the same size, conducted on a similar plan. Moral and instructive essays, poetical effusions of merit, and many other articles calculated to improve the mind, will, likewise, be found to enrich the Gazette, at those intervals when a dearth of matter of more important moment to the community shall happen.

Subscribers will be received by the different Post-Masters, and such other gentlemen as may be furnished with subscription papers.

Winchester, Virginia, July 21, 1800.

☞ *The* WINCHESTER GAZETTE, *printed and published by the issuer of these proposals, for upwards of twelve years, will still be continued by him, with the aid of assistants.*

For Sale by Private Contract,

THE HOUSE & LOT situate on the North side of Prince Street, and East side of Pitt Street, now occupied by Mr. John Livingston—It fronts on Prince Street 49 feet, and extends on Pitt Street 94 feet.

ALSO,

One half of the FERRY from Hunter's wharf to the Maryland shore, with the ferry landing thereto attached. The credits will be liberal. Apply to

Wm. HODGSON.

Aug 28. tf

House-keeper Wanted.

TO a person well qualified, and who can bring good recommendations as to character, a liberal salary will be given. Apply to the Printer. Sept. 11.

TO LET,

A large & convenient Store

ON KING STREET,

with two rooms adjoining it, a fire place in each —with a Ware House and Yard.

LIKEWISE

A Dwelling House

On Fairfax Street.

LAWRENCE HOOFF.

Sept. 9.

ISAAC KELL,

COPPERSMITH, BRAZIER, & TIN PLATE WORKMAN,

South side of King-street, nearly opposite M'Knight's Tavern,

Continues to carry on his business in all its various branches, and has on hand at present

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Copper and Tin Ware,

which he will dispose of on the most reasonable terms for cash, approved paper, or country produce.

Thankful for past favors, he will make it his study to merit a continuance.

N. B. He offers a lease of 5 years on a HOUSE in an eligible situation for business.

July 19.

ALL persons who are indebted to the estate of the late PETER MURRAY, deceased, are required to make immediate payment; and those who have claims against it, are requested to produce them to the subscribers.

ELISHA C. DICK, } Adm'rs
JOHN NORWOOD, }

August 21. epaw

Samuel Hatterslay.

LEATHER BREECHES MAKER,

COLCHESTER,

BEGS leave to acquaint the public, that he has got an assortment of LEATHER BREECHES, and Leather dressed in oil, which he warrants equal to any made in London—prices from 5 to 10 dollars a pair.

Colchester, August 30.

To Let,

A TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE on Fairfax Street, opposite the Globe Tavern, now in the possession of Mr. STIER. It is in good tenantable order, with a stable for three horses, and a paved yard. For terms apply to

JOHN WHITE,

Corner of Fairfax & Cameron Streets.

August 28.

Fairfax ss. *August Term* 1800.

Joseph Mandeville and Robert Brown Jamesson, lately trading under the firm of Mandeville & Jamesson, Complainants.
against
John Skyrin, John Janney, & John Fotter, Defendants.
} In Chancery.

THE Defendant John Skyrin not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that he is no inhabitant of this commonwealth, on the motion of the said complainants, by their counsel, It is ordered, that the said defendant, John Skyrin, do appear here on the first of November courts and answer the bill of the complainants, and that the said defendants, John Janney and John Fotter, do not pay, convey away, or secrete any of the monies, debts, or effects of the said defendant, John Skyrin, in their hands owing or belonging, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in one of the Alexandria newspapers for two months successively, and at the front door of the court house of this county.

A Copy—Test

G. DENEALE, C. F. C.

TO LET,

That large and convenient

Warehouse, on the lower end of King street, formerly occupied by Mr. Ridley. For terms apply to A. C. CAZENOVE,

Who has just received

A fresh Assortment of silk

and kid Gloves, of the largest kind; white, black, blue, yellow, and flesh coloured crapes; French cambrick, bandanno handkerchiefs, German Osnaburgs, Bretagnes, &c &c.

Sept. 11.

CATLETT & MEEKS

HAVE FOR SALE,

At their warehouse, on Union Street, next door to Messrs. J. & T. Vowell's,

300 barrels of Herrings, in prime shipping order
1000 wt of country made powder of a good quality, in kegs
1400 bushels of coarse and fine Salt
8 hhds. and 6 barrels of Molasses,
4 hhds. and 5 barrels of Sugar
8 barrels of Vinegar
8 do. Whiskey
60 Spanish Hides
Coffee in bags
Soap and candles in boxes
A few kegs of butter

Any of the above goods they will barter for Wheat, Flour, Corn, Tobacco, &c. at the market price.

June 7.

Shreve and Janney

HAVE FOR SALE ON GOOD TERMS,

At their Store on Union, between Prince and Duke Streets,

Barcelona Brandy of very high proof,
Castile Soap in boxes,
Florence Oil in cases of one doz. each,
China assorted in boxes,
East and West India Sugars,
Very Fresh Hyson Tea,
Bandanna Handkerchiefs,
Soal and Upper Leather,
Men's Coarse and Fine Shoes,
Women's do. do.
Boys' do. do.
Wrapping Paper,
Coarse Salt,
A few barrels Herrings,
Several pieces of Elegant Furniture of different kinds,
And 40 boxes best Havanna Segars.

Sept. 9. eptf

John V. Thomas

Has just received a Fresh Assortment of

Books and Stationary,

which he offers for sale on moderate terms.

The following articles compose a part:

Super Royal, Royal, Medium, Demy, Folio & Quarto Post } PAPER of the best quality.
Foolscap and Pot Do. different qualities,
Wafers and Sealing Wax;
Ink Powder and Quills,
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Pocket Books with Instruments
Red Morocco Leather,
Ruthersforth's Institutes of Natural Law,
Pursuits of Literature,
Adams's Astronomical and Geographical Essays,
Stewart's Elements of the Philosophy of the Human Mind,
Reid's Essays on the Intellectual and Active Powers of Man,
Payne's Universal Geography,
Sheridan's Dictionary,
Young Misses' Magazine.

Also, the following Novels:

Zelia in the Desert, 3 vols.—The Rock of Modree, 2 vols.—Wanley Penson, or the Melancholy Man, 3 vols.—Wanderings of the Imagination, 2 vols.—Contrast—Memoirs of Mary, 5 vols.—Augusta Fitzherbert, 2 vols.—Perplexities, or the Fortunate Elopement, 2 vols.—Advertisement for a Husband, 2 vols.—Natural Son, 2 vols.—Kentish Curate, 4 vols.—Ophelia, 2 vols.—Progress of Love, 3 vols.—Constant Lover—Ildegerte—likewise many others.

Said THOMAS *continues to carry on the*

Book-Binding Business,

in all its different branches, in the neatest manner, and on reasonable terms.

August 28. 2aw3w

THE subscriber returns thanks to the Inhabitants of Alexandria and its vicinity, for the liberal encouragement he has met with since he commenced business in this place: He still continues to carry on the

Cabinet and Chair Making

business, in the neatest and most fashionable manner. He likewise offers for sale about twelve thousand feet of MAHOGANY, being the remainder of the cargo of the brig George. He will sell it by the log or by the board.

Orders from the Cabinet Makers in the country will be punctually attended to,

JOHN MUIR,

Cabinet Maker, Royal street, opposite Messrs. Westcott's printing office.

September 2.

The Columbian Mirror
AND
ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE

TO
The PATRONS *of the* MIRROR
AND
THE PUBLIC.

In consequence of the resignation of Mr. ELLIS PRICE, the Patrons of the Mirror, and the Public in general are respectfully informed, that the Subscriber has assumed the editorship of this paper.—In the execution of this arduous duty, he is aware of the many hardships and difficulties that will necessarily occur; but undertakes the task with a firm determination to encounter every inconvenience, and combat every obstacle, in order to render the Mirror as acceptable to it's friends as it has hitherto been.

In this happy country, where the *majority* of the People, by the exercise of their elective privileges, have the power of controuling the future operations of government, and indirectly dictating its measures, the Editor conceives it to be the sacred duty of every individual to acquiesce in *their* choice, so far at least as to restrain their disapprobation from indiscriminate abuse and pre-determined censure:—And while he considers that all compositions dictated by malice and polluted by prejudice, should be studiously excluded from every newspaper, he conceives a Printer equally bound to give publicity to essays conceived in candour and written with temperance, whatever may be their political cast.

Impressed by the purity of these ideas, and firmly persuaded that calm and temperate discussion is the surest step, towards ameliorating any evil which may be supposed to exist in our political concerns, *all* original essays with which the Editor may be favored, provided they are written in a liberal and argumentative style, shall readily find a place in the Mirror; and he pledges himself to the public, that this paper, while under his direction, shall not stray from the path of general rectitude which has conducted it to public esteem.

Disclaiming all partiality for foreign governments, and exclusively swayed by no domestic party, it shall ever be considered by the Editor as an inviolable duty, to seek after truth, and lay it before the Public with candour and impartiality.—In the pursuit of this equitable plan, he is encouraged by a presumption that it will be the desire of every reader, to be informed of the *true state* of foreign affairs, however dissonant *that* may be to his wish; by a sincere hope that the transactions of our own government will need no fallacious veil, to screen them from the scrutinizing eye of the public; and by a conviction of the impropriety in a Printer wishing to impose his private sentiments on the Public, as the standard of perfection.

To alleviate the minds of its readers from the perplexing mazes of abstruse politics, a portion of the Mirror shall be devoted to entertaining productions, when the scarcity of more important matter will justify it; miscellaneous pieces, tending to the improvement of our commercial or agricultural interests, shall be sought after with avidity; and nothing within the scope of the Editor's slender abilities, shall be wanted to render the Mirror a reflecting emblem of the agreeable motto, "*utile dulci.*"

Conscious of the rectitude of his intentions, and considering impartiality as the theorem on which every newspaper ought to be conducted; viewing it as the only mean of harmonizing the political discords which agitate this country; and persuaded that no real friend to America can reasonably object to a principle so equitable—the Editor undertakes his laborious duty, with the humble hope that his toils will not be unrewarded by the generous Public.

Unless orders are received to the contrary, those who subscribed to the Mirror, while under the direction of Mr. ELLIS PRICE, will be considered as Patrons by

The Public's obedient
And humble servant,
WILLIAM FOWLER.

Office of the Mirror,
Sept. 13.

☞ *As the Session of Congress will shortly take place in our neighboring City, it is natural to suppose that the readers of this paper will wish to have an early and regular detail of their proceedings, as well as other domestic transactions, laid before them. The Mirror's appearance only three times a week, necessarily obstructs this desirable end, and the only remedy which the Editor can devise, is the publication of a* DAILY PAPER.

His contracted resources rendering it improper in him to undertake this expensive change, without some assurance of public support, the Inhabitants of Alexandria will be waited on with a Subscription Paper (specifying the terms) previous to the end of the present quarter; and should it be found that they are disposed to patronize his plan, the Mirror will commence its daily appearance after the 30th of November next.

Should the COLUMBIAN MIRROR *be published* daily *for his Town Customers, a Paper under the title of the* IMPARTIAL MIRROR, *will be published* three times a week *for his Country Subscribers; which will contain no advertisements except such as may appear in the inner side of each Daily Paper. It is earnestly hoped that this arrangement will meet the general approbation of those for whom it is intended—The terms will be published in proper time.*

☞ *The Editor of this paper returns his grateful acknowledgments to the obliging Correspondent who handed him the London papers on Saturday last. After an attentive perusal, he finds that the* rich harvest *has been previously* reaped *by the Boston and New-York Printers, and* transplanted *into the columns of the Mirror. He must therefore content himself in amusing his readers with the following*

MISCELLANEOUS GLEANINGS.

LONDON, JUNE 21.

The Waterford Mail of yesterday, brought an account of a squadron of ships of war having sailed from Cork on a secret expedition. We soon expect to hear of their acting vigorously in concert with those already stationed on the French coast.

On Sunday evening last, the remains of the late Lord Bradford were carried in grand funeral pomp to Castle Bromwich, and deposited during the night in the chancel of the chapel; from whence they were removed the next morning to his Lordship's late seat at Weston, in Shropshire, for interment among his noble ancestors.

The following curious circumstance occurred a few days since:—An invalid, rather consumptive, went to a medical gentleman, not less remarkable for his skill than his humour, and upon his return home, with a promise of having a remedy sent, received a packet by the Doctor's boy, which, upon opening, presented to his astonished view an admission ticket to Sadler's Wells, with a label—"repeat this as often as convenient." We suppose the Doctor had the old Anacreontic recipe in his head, viz. "Laugh and grow fat."

JUNE 26.

Admiral De Winter, it is said, has been sent from the Hague, by the Dutch government, upon an important mission to Paris.

A treaty of armed neutrality against this country, it is reported, is about to be entered into between the principal maritime powers of the North.

The following are the contributions raised at Augsburg by General Lecourbe: the city paid 600,000 livres, 150,000 of which were furnished by the convents; it likewise furnished 50,000 rations of bread, 30,000 quarts of beer, 500 bottles of wine, 1000 bottles of Brandy, 1000 ells of blue cloth, 300 ells of white cloth, 300 ells of scarlet cloth, 6000 pair of shoes, 600 pair of boots for officers, 15 horses with accoutrements, a train of post horses and a carriage for the general. The chapter furnished 400,000 livres, 1200 ells of blue cloth, 300 ells of white cloth, and 300 ells of scarlet cloth; 260 quarters of oats in money, 40 oxen of 500 cwt. each, and 50 horses. This visit from the French cost the city and chapter about 800,000 florins.

According to letters from Malaga, of the 18th ult. loans are raising in the principal ports of Spain for the government. The loan at Malaga is to amount to 600,000 piasters, and that at Cadiz to two millions and a half. It is also said that a loan of eight millions is to be raised at Morocco.

One of the Russian officers, now embarking at Guernsey, proves to be a female, and was lately delivered of a fine girl.

Authentic accounts from Petersburgh state, that SUWARROW's funeral was performed with the greatest solemnity;—15,000 men followed the corpse.

Three thousand pounds per annum have been voted by the Irish parliament, as compensation and remuneration money to certain loyalists, whose case of suffering and private services have attracted the attention of government.

JUNE 28.

REMARKS ON THE FATAL BATTLE OF
MARENGO.

In contemplating this immense and astonishing atchievement, we are alike struck with the wondrous magnitude of the enemy's fortunes, and the direful result of their successes to the declining cause of the Allies. After what we have seen and heard upon the subject, to affect to deny the melancholy fact would be the rankest absurdity. Equally vain and uncandid would it be not fully to admit, that the towering genius of Buonaparte has proved completely triumphant; that Europe will henceforth be filled with the renown of his actions, and with astonishment at the brilliant and unprecedented career of success, which in little less than a month he seems to have run. Although in the light of a determined enemy to the interests of Britain, we naturally view the man with an eye of abhorrence, yet, as impartial commentators upon the general character of mankind, we must do common justice to the striking superiority of his talents.

By the vast resources of his mind, his great courage, his extraordinary military talents, his valorous atchievements, and his signal successes, has he unquestionably become one of the most eminent personages of this, or perhaps any former age, and acquired a fame not to be extinguished but with time itself. Lamentable is the consideration that such great and shining qualities should be employed in so bad a cause, and to so vile a purpose, as the destruction of those necessary ramparts wisely erected by preceding generations for the common safety and happiness of Europe. Yet to such a cause are all talents of this extraordinary man completely devoted, and hitherto unhappily with the most alarming success. The shock which he has already given to the Imperial power of our Ally must promptly strike to the very center of the German Empire; its dreadful effects seem wholly irreparable by the utmost efforts that can now be made, if any are intended, for that purpose; and happy shall we be if Europe in general feels not in some material degree the force of the blow.

With respect to the effect which these important transactions on the Continent are likely to produce upon the particular interests of this country, we must confess that we despair of their tendency being such as to afford any prospect of an immediate termination of the war on our part. Ministers have now a far greater & more arduous task than ever to perform; and as we have all along given them credit for the purity of their intentions, we shall now rely upon their wisdom with respect to the course most adviseable to be taken, at the present alarming juncture. Upon this point, however, it may not be unnecessary for us here to observe, that, from the disposition manifested by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, in the House of Commons last night, the prospect of Peace seems still far distant; at least there is very little hope of England being comprehended in any treaty which the Emperor may now find himself under the necessity of concluding, or of any immediate measures being adjusted between the hostile governments of Great Britain and France, inveterate as they alike appear to be against each other.

It is, on the whole, extremely probable that we shall once more be left in single combat with our inveterate foe; in which case, one of the professed objects of the war must at least be abandoned. Of the restoration of the House of Bourbon to the monarchy of France, we are now likely to hear no more. The condition of that unfortunate family is in every respect become hopeless, and truly pitiable.

Every effort in their favour has totally failed; their friends have every where been baffled in their generous exertions. Their spirits must of course be wholly broken, and their hopes entirely lost. To the Bourbons, therefore, we shall no longer have to fight; our battles will henceforward be exclusively our own; and if we shed our blood and expend our treasures, it will be in defence of our own Laws, our Constitution, and our King.

The letter of the Chief Consul, in which he gives an account of the great battle of Marengo, concludes by expressing a hope that France will think the army of Italy has deserved well of their country. The next arrival from Paris, of which we continue in hourly expectation, will no doubt, bring us the full details.

Some accounts were yesterday received from Lord St. Vincent's fleet; as also from some parts of the coast of France, where our cruizers have succeeded in cutting out ships, &c.—The insurgents of the West are still in such numbers, that wherever a descent appears to be threatened, they assemble and make signals of their friendly dispositions. Meanwhile, a considerable alarm seems to prevail in the towns along shore; and the military are perpetually in motion from place to place. The fishermen state, that even an attack upon Brest is apprehended.

Anonymous letters have been sent to the ministers of several parishes in Essex, threatening among other things in terms improper here to be mentioned, to burn and destroy the corn and buildings, unless provisions were lowered. The letters alluded to were conveyed on Sunday morning last to the clergyman of Great Bardfield, and to the clergy of the five adjoining parishes, with strong injunctions to read them in the church that day, or they would by night or by day be made the victims of their vengeance. These threats, however, we are happy to say, were treated with contempt, one instance only excepted, the minister of a dissenting congregation complied with the request of these desperadoes, by reading the contents to his followers; we trust, however, not without a proper address, expressive of the result such an attempt would meet.

In consequence of the receipt of the anonymous letters alluded to, information was given to the commanders of the different volunteer associations in that quarter, who have had notice to be ready to act upon the shortest notice. Captain Pepper's troop mustered with the greatest promptitude on Tuesday last, at their usual place, and received their instructions on this business; the troop went through the broad sword exercise with much exactness; in the presence of a general assemblage of persons; after which it dismounted to partake of some refreshment provided by the liberality of the Captain, and to which the spectators were as handsomely invited.

JUNE 29.

MILITARY CONSPIRACY.

By the Halifax Mail of Wednesday, we learn, that a conspiracy of a most alarming nature has lately been discovered in Newfoundland, among the soldiers belonging to the regiment of Fencibles raised for the defence of that Island. It appears, that in consequence of the intrigues of some United Irishmen, who had been permitted to come to that country from Ireland with passes, a spirit of disaffection had been diffused among the troops, who are generally Irish, and of whom about 60 had secretly taken the oath of United Irishmen.

Thirty of the ring leaders in consequence, took up arms, deserted to the woods, and fired on the troops sent in pursuit of them: the remainder were on this apprehended by the activity of General Skerret, the Commanding Officer in the Island. Twelve of them have been carried to Halifax for trial; but eight others who were put on board another vessel, being joined by the guard rose on the crew, and carried her into the gut of Canso, where they all landed.

When intelligence of this affair reached Halifax, two sloops of war were immediately dispatched in pursuit of them, and the 66th regiment were ordered to embark as soon as possible for Newfoundland, to relieve the regiment on that station. His royal highness the Duke of Kent, was expected to sail also for Newfoundland about the 10th of this month in the St. Alban's man of war, to arrange and settle matters.

Dessaix, who was killed at the battle of Marengo, had two brothers inscribed on the list of Emigrants. His mother, by their absence, and now by the loss of this beloved son, is left without support or fortune. We believe government

intend to reſtore to her, her remaining children, and ſettle on her a penſion worthy of the national gratitude.

A few days ago, a ſervant maid from the country, attending her miſtreſs to ſee the great bell in St. Peter's tower at Exeter, was ſtruck deaf and dumb by an affright ſhe received, owing to the clock ſtriking two, as ſhe was aſcending the tower ſtairs. She is ſince dead.

PLYMOUTH, JUNE 18.

This morning arrived here from the coaſt of France, his majeſty's ſhip Unicorn, of 32 guns, Captain Wilkinſon, having in company two French brigs, ſeven luggers, and two ſloops, all laden with wine, brandy, and ſoap, which about eight days ago were cut out of a bay near the Penmarks, by the following ſquadron, under the command of Rear-Admiral Sir J. B. Warren:

Renown 74 guns	Rear adm. Sir J. B. Warren; capt. Eyles
Defence 74	Capt. Paulet
Fiſguard 36	—— Martin
Unicorn 32	—— Wilkinſon

The above ſquadron were cruizing on the coaſt of France, and diſcovered in a Bay near the Penmarks a fleet of about 50 ſail of French veſſels, under convoy of ſeveral gun luggers: a plan was immediately formed for attempting their capture or deſtruction, volunteers from the different ſhips manned and armed the boats, and after a long and tedious pull got in among them, notwithſtanding the reſiſtance they met with from the luggers; the whole fleet ſlipt their cables, and ran ahore among the rocks, with a hope to eſcape being captured, but by very great exertion, eleven ſail were got off the rocks, and brought ſafely to this harbour, though in a very leaky condition.

The remainder of the fleet, it is expected, will not be got off again, being too much damaged: in the execution of this hazardous ſervice it does not appear that more than two Engliſh ſeamen loſt their lives, but many Frenchmen were killed, by the obſtinate reſiſtance they made before their ſurrender: the fleet were bound to Breſt, with neceſſaries for the fleet, which will experience ſome diſtreſs for want of their cargoes. This event ſhews the benefit of having detached ſquadrons cruizing on the enemy's coaſt, under ſuitable Commanders, which will tend to embarraſs their naval operations more effectually than any other means that can be deviſed.

Alexandria, September 16.

"FABIUS No. IV." ſhall appear on Thurſday.

The brig Elizabeth, Capt. Aitkin, from London, (mentioned in our laſt to have arrived in the river) was boarded on her paſſage by a French privateer brig, who examined her papers; but not liking the appearance of an Engliſh frigate which hove in ſight, *Monſieur* very politely ſheared off, and the frigate gave chaſe. She was afterwards boarded in the courſe of her paſſage by a privateer ſchooner from Halifax, who treated her politely, but could give no news.

BOARD OF HEALTH——BALTIMORE.

Total number in the hoſpital with the prevailing fever, 64
Convaleſcents ſince laſt report 8
Diſcharged cured, do. 5
Deaths for the laſt 24 hours, ending this morning, [Sept. 13,] at ſunriſe.

	Adults.	Children.
Fell's Point,	9	2
Hoſpital,	6	0
Old Town,	0	0
Weſt ſide of Jones's Falls,	4	0
Precincts,	3	0
Total,	22	2

FROM A RICHMOND PAPER OF SEPT. 12.

"The public mind has been much involved in dangerous apprehenſions, concerning an inſurrection of the negroes in ſeveral of the adjacent counties. Such a thing has been in agitation among the blacks, principally inſtigated by an ambitious and inſidious fellow, a ſlave, by the name of GABRIEL, the property of Mr. Thomas Proſſer, of the county of Henrico. This villain, aſſuming to himſelf the appellation of *General*, through his artfulneſs, has cauſed ſome diſturbance, having induced many poor, ignorant, and unfortunate creatures to ſhare in his nefarious and horrid deſign.

"The plot has been entirely exploded, which was ſhallow; and had the attempt even been made to carry it into execution, but little reſiſtance would have been required, to render their ſcheme entirely abortive. Thirty or forty of the party have been arreſted and confined in jail for trial. Yeſterday a called court was held for that purpoſe, at the court houſe in this city, when ſix of them were convicted and condemned to ſuffer death this day at 12 o'clock. It is ſaid that the evidence which has been procured, will go to prove nearly the whole of them guilty. To-day the court will proceed to go thro' with the reſt of the trials."

[*The Governor has iſſued his Proclamation, offering a reward of* THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS *for the apprehenſion of the above* "GENERAL," *who has thought proper to take himſelf off. Excluſive of this ſum, he likewiſe promiſes* "*to any number not exceeding five of the ſaid accomplices, who ſhall apprehend the ſaid* GABRIEL, *and deliver him up ſo that he be brought to juſtice, a* FULL PARDON *for their offences.*"]

The ſhip Pearl, Captain Luce, arrived at Savannah (Georgia) on the 23d Auguſt, in 60 days from St. Sebaſtians.

Sailed from thence on 22d June. On the 25th ſhe was chaſed and brought to by a Guernſey lugger, called the Lord Nelſon, who kept him in poſſeſſion about twelve hours, taking out his mate, carpenter, cook, and three hands, and putting on board two officers and 7 hands. A veſſel then hove in ſight, which they ſuppoſed to be an Engliſh frigate, and being fearful of having his men impreſſed, he ſuffered the Pearl to go, the wind blowing hard to the northward.

They informed captain L. they had orders to capture and ſend all American veſſels bound to or coming from any of the ports of the bay of Biſcay. They alſo informed him of their taking the ſloop Louiſa, captain Ingraham, of New York; the ſchooner Little John, of Bolton; brig ——, captain Rea of New York; ſloop Caroline, captain Moſley, of Bolton; a brig from Baltimore, captain Deſhong; brig Eucharis, captain Dade, of Baltimore; and ſhip Columbus, of do.

Arrived at Baltimore, the ſhip Stafford, Captain Shaw, 76 days from Rotterdam. We were boarded, ſays captain Shaw, by the Britiſh frigate Latona, and treated politely. A few days afterward, in lat. 59, long. 10, were boarded by the Lynx ſloop of war, whoſe treatment was very different, though polite enough to inform us, ſhe was cruiſing for American ſhips from Batavia, and that the ſame day ſhe had boarded the ſhip Manchester, capt. Jacobs, from Amſterdam, bound to Philadelphia. In lat. 41, long. 53, ſpoke the ſhip Lucy, of Bolton, from Liſbon.

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LOUISVILLE (Georgia) JULY 5.

We have it from very good authority that his excellency the governor has received advices by the laſt poſt from the Hon. Rufus King, miniſter of the United States at the court of London, by which it appears that in conſequence of a demand of his excellency, through Mr. King, from the Britiſh government under the 7th article of the definitive treaty of peace, of the public records of this ſtate carried off by his Britannic majeſty's officers and ſubjects during the revolutionary war; he, Mr. King, has ſecured one cheſt of thoſe papers, and was in hopes to obtain the remainder, which were ſuppoſed to be mingled in two other cheſts with the public papers of Eaſt and Weſt Florida.

The exertions of the governor to trace the information, ſo as to enable Mr. King to make the demand, and Mr. King's indefatigable exertions to the object ſince, will merit the thanks of the widow and the orphan, who in many caſes will regain their property from the graſping hand of ſpeculation.

NATCHES, JULY 19.

Arrived here on Friday, the 11th inſt. and left it on Thurſday laſt, the ſchooner Monongahela, belonging to Roberts and James M'Farlane, from Elizabethtown, 13 miles above Pittſburg, which place ſhe left the 28th of May, having loſt her anchor on the paſſage, delayed her ſeveral days ſhe is a ſtrong and well built veſſel; her keel was laid the firſt of November, 1799, and launched the 10th of May laſt; the is 70 tons burthen, 53 feet keel, 18 1-2 beam, and 9 1-2 hold: her loading to this place was 450 barrels of flour and 30 of Whiſkey.

A large party of men from New Orleans having attempted to ouſt Bowles from the Fort which he a ſhort time ſince had taken from the Spaniards, but having been inſufficient in power, were repulſed with conſiderable loſs. This information comes from a reſpectable ſource.

Lateſt Foreign News.

NEW-YORK, SEPT. 11.

Juſt as the "Mercantile Advertiſer" was prepared for the preſs laſt evening, we received a London Paper of AUGUST THE FIRST, containing the account that

Auſtria had concluded a general Armiſtice with France:

in which the King of Naples is not included; and that the Engliſh government were preparing an expedition, which would probably reach its place of deſtination about the time that peace is concluded on the Continent. Its object is thought to be an attack on Belleiſle.

Beſides this, the paper contains not a ſingle article of any political conſequence.

Mer. Adv.

Laſt evening arrived here the ſhip Boyne, captain Brown, in 35 days from London. By this arrival we have received London papers to the firſt of Auguſt; but we never recollect to have ſeen papers more barren. We are informed, however, by a gentleman who came paſſenger, that there were great expectations in London of a peace between England and France, before the cloſe of the preſent campaign—and that the laſt mail from Hamburg brought advices that the Preliminaries of Peace between Auſtria and France had been actually ſigned.

It would appear from the riſe of ſtocks in London, that, at leaſt, ſome expectations of a general pacification were entertained by ſtockholders.

We neither find nor hear any thing reſpecting our Commiſſioners, only that they were ſtill in France.

N. York Gaz.

New York, Sept. 11.

The ſhip Chelapeake, captain Tombs, arrived at this port yeſterday in 35 days from the Downs. She brings London papers, which are received at the Office of the Mercantile Advertiſer, to the 25th of July, inclusive, later by four days than thoſe advices via Bolton.

The Court of Vienna, as appears from an article from thence under date of July 19, has rejected the pacific overtures of Buonaparte, and the vigorous meaſures which the Auſtrian government are, in conſequence, purſuing for recruiting their armies, give "dreadful note of preparation" for continuing hoſtilities. Meanwhile, though the armiſtice continues in Italy, the French are following up the advantages they have gained in Germany. It is thought to be the intention of Maſſena to fall upon Melas, "who (ſays a London Editor) if beaten, would be obliged either to ſhut himſelf up in Mantua, as Wurmſer did formerly, or to retire thro' the Venetian territory, not without difficulty and oppoſition, if Lecourbe is too ſtrong for Prince Reuſs in the Tyrol.—Should Maſſena completely ſucceed in Italy, he is no doubt to traverſe the Venetian, and advance by Corinthia and Stiria towards the Auſtrian capital, while Moreau penetrates on the ſide of Bavaria."

Buonapart's determination, ſhould his overtures be rejected, may be gathered from his conduct at the celebration of the Fete of the 14th of July.

The Engliſh Ambaſſadors at the Court of Ruſſia and Sweden have been abruptly diſmiſſed, and have arrived in London. Something more than an *armed neutrality* is augured from this conduct. It is regarded in England as an event unfavourable to a general Pacification.

In the Houſe of Commons, the ſubſidiary loan to the Emperor has called forth ſome very ſevere animadverſions from thoſe members who are oppoſed to the miniſtry: they were received, as uſual, without producing conviction; and the queſtion of the loan was carried by a large majority.

While theſe things are doing, the Ruſſian Emperor Paul has notified to the Pretender that his reſidence in the Ruſſian dominions will be diſpenſed with; and the unfortunate Louis XVIII. it is ſaid, is about to retire to England, where a ſentiment of ſympathy may at leaſt procure him the attachment of the Prince of Orange, whoſe kingdom, like his own, is "not of this world."

FRENCH REPUBLIC.

PARIS, JULY 15.

After the ſpeeches made in the Champ on the 14th of July by gen. Lannes, and the chief of ſquadron, Barthe, aid de camp of general Maſſena, on preſenting to the Conſuls the colours taken in the battle of Maringo, and by the army of Italy, the firſt conſul made an anſwer, in which we remarked the following paſſages:

"The ſtandards preſented to the government in the preſence of the people of this immenſe capitol, atteſt the genious of the generals in chief, Moreau, Maſſena and Berthier, the military talents of the generals, their lieutenants, and the bravery of the French army."

"On their return to the camps, tell the ſoldiers, that for the æra of the 22d of September, when we ſhall celebrate the anniverſary of the republic, the French people expect either the publication of peace, or, ſhould the enemy oppoſe to it inſurmountable obſtacles, new ſtandards, fruits of new victories."

JULY 19.

The Engliſh have ſummoned the conſtitution Authorities of L'Iſle Dieu to furniſh to the veſſels on the coaſt a certain quantity of beef and other meet. The want of a garriſon, and the abſence of the inhabitants capable of bearing arms, forced the Authorities to accede to the demand.

All our Journals have given letters from Milan of the 3d of July, which ſtate that the Auſtrians, pretending that the Valteline is not compriſed in the country under the command of M. de. Melas, will not evacuate it in execution of the convention of Aleſſandria. The Clef du Cabinet announces, that the Valtelin is occupied by the troops under general Moncey. The ſame Journals add that upon the refuſal made by the Auſtrians to reſtore the patriots who had been removed from Milan to Verona, at the moment of the entrance of the French into Italy, general Maſſena has detained the Auſtrians who were at Milan, as well as the artillery and ammunition that were to be delivered up to M. de Melas in execution of the convention of Aleſſandria.

It was in the night of the 6th, that a courier from Vienna paſſed through Straſburg, on his way to Paris.

☞ *All commands in the Printing Line will be thankfully received at this office, and executed with the* STRICTEST PROMPTITUDE. Sept. 16.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT application will be made to the next General Aſſembly of Virginia, to continue the Charter of the Bank of Alexandria.
Sept. 13.

Notice.

WANTED to employ A MUSICIAN to inſtruct 24 boys in the muſick of the Drum and Fife. Any perſon well qualified for this buſineſs, will meet with every encouragement and accommodation which the law preſcribes, by immediate application to
CHARLES LITTLE, Lieut. Col. Commandant of the 60 R. V. M.
Danby, Fairfax County,
September 16, 1800. 4wep

Hewes & Miller
HAVE FOR SALE,
TURK'S ISLAND & Liverpool } SALT.
Loaf, Lump and Brown } SUGARS,
Young Hyſon, Hyſon Skin, Souchong, and Bohea, } TEAS.
Weſt India Rum,
French Brandy,
Whiſkey,
Piaiſter of Paris,
Writing and Wrapping Paper,
Nutmegs of an excellent quality,
ALSO,
AN INVOICE OF
Superfine Cloths,
2 Bales of Kendal Cottons and
A Trunk of Worſted Hoſe,
which will be ſold at a low advance for Caſh or bartered for Flour or Tobacco.
Sept. 16. tf

OBERON,
TO AN INFANT SLEEPING.

SWEET BABY BOY, thy soft cheek glows,
An emblem of the living rose!
Thy breath a zephyr seems to rise,
And placid are thy half-clos'd eyes!
And silent is thy snowy breast,
Which gently heaves in transient rest;
And dreaming is thy infant brain
Of pleasure, undisturb'd by pain!

Soon shall thy youth to sorrow rise,
And tears shall dim those half-clos'd eyes;
And storms shall fade that living rose,
And keen unkindness wound repose!
Soon will thy slumbers painful be,
And thou wilt watch, and weep like me;
And thou wilt shrink, with fear aghast,
From wild misfortune's chilling blast!

Ah! then no more in balmy sleep
Shall memory fond her garland steep;
No more shall visions, sweetly gay,
Sport in the coming beams of day!
No more thy downy pillow be
A pillow, BOY, of down to THEE!
For many a thorn shall ruthless care
In envious rancour scatter there,

SWEET BABY BOY! then sleep awhile,
For youth will ever wake to smile.
Time flings its poisons round the bed
Where manhood lays its weary head;
The summer day of life will lour,
As long poor boy, as winter's hour,
Unless the Pilot FORTUNE brings
The magic of her GOLDEN WINGS.

OBERON.

John & James H. Tucker

Have just received by the Sloop Brothers,

4 trunks Irish Linens,
1 do. Sewed Muslin,
2 do. Plain and Tambourd,
1 do. Book Tambourd Sprigs,
1 do. Coloured,
1 do. Chintz Prussianas,
1 do. Nuns Thread.

ALSO ON HAND,

3 cases Irish Linens, 2 boxes

Fine Hats, and a few German Goods, with a general assortment of GROCERIES of the very best quality, which they will sell low for cash, or exchange for country produce.

They will also furnish drafts for Salt at Turk's Island (say from 6 to 80,000 bushels) at 60 and 90 days from the receipt thereof—payment as above. epsw Sept. 6.

FALL GOODS.

I have for sale on very reasonable terms, for cash or approved paper,

100 bales of coarse woollens

lately arrived—consisting of kendal cottons, halfthicks, kerseys, striped jerseys, silk rugs, duffil and rose blankets, white and striped plaidings, coloured baizes and flannels, yarn hose, carpets and carpeting; also, brown linens small quantity low priced Irish linens, bagging sail canvas, No. 1 & 2, and hats in cases.

One hundred casks of 4d,

6, 8, 10, and 20d nails, also scupper & sheathing nails; English castings of various kinds, neat brass mounted grates, kitchen ranges for coal with patent ovens, large cast iron fire dogs, marble chimney pieces and hearth stones, fine hard. ware, neatly assorted in boxes, metal buttons in do a variety of coarse hardware, consisting of sadlery, coopers' tools, anvils, vices, coal shovels flock locks, &c &c. Wraping paper.

And about 1000 bushels English COAL of superior quality.

WM. HODGSON.

Sept. 4. tf

Notice is hereby given,

THAT a petition will be presented to the next General Assembly, praying that honorable body to repeal an Act of Assembly passed at the last session, entitled "An Act appointing Commissioners to fix the place for holding a Court for the District composed of the Counties of Prince William, Fairfax, Loudoun, and Fauquier," and to supersede all the proceedings that have been had under the said act of Assembly.

Alex. July 25. epam

WAS committed to the jail of Fairfax County on the 17th of May, a negro man who says his name is WILL, and confesses that he ran away from Mr. Thomas Jenkins, of Grenville County (South Carolina) about the latter end of March or first of April last. He is 5 feet eight or nine inches high and about thirty years old—a stout well looking fellow—had on a few old rags of grey home made cloth, and no shirt. He also says that he was bought last fall by Messrs. Jenkins and Thompson, from Philip C. Blay, of the state of Maryland. He was taken up in Fluvanna county, on James River. The owner is hereby desired to come, pay charges and take him out, or he will be disposed of as the law directs.

JAMES CONNER,
Jailor of Fairfax County Jail.

August 28 ep3m.

JOSEPH RIDDLE & CO.

Have received per the brig Union, from London,

A considerable part of their

SPRING GOODS.

The balance is daily expected in the Belvedier to Baltimore.

They have for sale 156 Casks of 8d. 10d 12d. and 20d.

Flat-point Nails.

May 20.

TO LEASE,

For a term of Years,

OXON HILL,

An elegant Country Seat, about five miles from the City of Washington, and two from Alexandria, with 50 acres of Land, consisting of a garden, orchard, clover lots, and pasture grounds.

The house is very large and commodious, and in good repair; situated on a beautiful eminence opposite to Alexandria, and commands an extensive view of the neighbouring country, the Potomak, Alexandria, George-Town, City of Washington, &c. There are on the premises convenient buildings—such as stables, coach-house, &c.

The tenant will have fire-wood adjoining the premises.

For terms apply to Col. Hanson, George-Town, Jonathan Swift, esq. Alexandria, or to

WALTER D. ADDISON.

Oxon Hill, May 3. 3tep—1awtf

Andrew & W'm Ramsay

HAVE THIS DAY RECEIVED,

By the Apollo, from London,

AN elegant assortment of best superfine Broadcloths and Kerseymires, ladies and gentlemen's saddles, bridles, &c. complete, horse-nets, stirrup leathers, cruppers, girths, currycombs, brushes and spunges, collars, quarter-cloths, breast-plates, pad cloths, body rollers with hoods and twisted breech strings saddle-cloths, martingals, head-stalls, lounging reins, mouthing and watering bridles, servants' great coat belts and horse-pickers, short Hessian and back strapped boots and plain and dress shoes—All the above articles are of the first quality and fashion, and will be sold at moderate prices.

June 7. tf

TO BE RENTED,

THAT large and commodious HOUSE on Fairfax Street, at present in the possession of Mr. Archibald M'Call. This house is well calculated for the accommodation of a large family, having four good rooms and a garret, together with a good cellar. Adjoining the main building is a large Brick Kitchen, with two well-finished rooms over it. There are also a smoak house, stable and carriage house on the lot, and a pump of good water.—It has the advantage of some vacant ground, which may be converted into a garden. Possession will be given the 15th day of July next. For terms apply to William Herbert, in the Town of Alexandria, or to the Subscriber, at Chesnut Hill.

CATHARINE BROWN.

April 20.

GLOBE TAVERN.

THE Subscribers respectfully inform the Public in general, and their Friends in particular, that they have opened Tavern in the house formerly occupied by Mr. JOHN ABERT, and not long since by Mr. PETER KEMP, situate at the corner of Fairfax and Cameron Streets, Alexandria.

Having, at a great expence, provided themselves with the very numerous requisites for conducting their business to advantage and the comfortable accommodation of those who may please to favour them with their custom—particularly with a stock of EXCELLENT LIQUORS, attentive and obliging waiters, which with their own personal exertions to please, they flatter themselves will procure a portion of public countenance, and that patronage which has ever been bestowed on the deserving of this town.

A few Gentlemen will be taken as boarders.

JOHN O'NEALE,
ENOCH WARD.

August 7, 1800.

☞ They are provided with a good stable and provender and an honest and experienced HOSTLER. tf

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For Sale.

A VERY likely NEGRO LAD, eighteen years of age: he is an excellent waiter and house servant, and accustomed to the care of horses—he may soon be taught the business of sail making, and possesses a capacity to learn any other trade. He will be sold for cash, produce, or on a liberal credit. Enquire of the Printer.

Aug. 16. epsf

5,000 lb. choice Bacon,

Just received, and for Sale by

CATLETT and MEEKS.

August 9.

Ricketts, Newton and Co.

HAVE RECEIVED

By different vessels, and for Sale at their warehouse,

8 Pipes Bourdeaux Brandy

2 do. old French do.
3 Casks of Mountain Wine
1 Pipe do. do.
60 hhds. Sugar
500 Deer Skins
49 Bear do.
And 8000 bushels of Allum Salt.

August 2. tf

ALL persons having claims against the estate of JOHN W. JONES, deceased, are requested to produce their accounts properly authenticated, for settlement; and those indebted to said estate, to make speedy payment to

JOHN and THOS. VOWELL,
Administrators.

August 12. 3m

Lands for Sale, or exchange for other Property.

SEVEN hundred and eighty-eight acres in the county of Hampshire, on the waters of Great Cape Capon, about 20 miles from the Warm Springs, and 30 from Winchester.—Thisland is full of wood, oak and Pine Timber. Two excellent farms may be made, with 30 to 50 acres of bottom, and rich high lands to each; and in the heart of the timber there is a fine seat for a saw-mill. Capt. Daniel Rice will shew the lands.

Three thousand eight hundred and forty-five acres in the county of Ohio, on the waters of Grave and Fish creeks, near the river Ohio, and about 80 miles below Pittsburg. Some of these lands are very good, with considerable quantities of rich bottom, and plenty of excellent timber. Robert Woods, Esq. the Surveyor of that county, will shew these lands.

One hundred seventy six and three-fourths acres, within three miles of the Warm Springs, upon Great Cape-Capon, near its mouth, and within ¼ of a mile of the River Potomak. This land has about 70 to 80 acres of rich bottom, mostly in cultivation, with 274 fine *sugar trees* on it; from which, I am informed, there may be made 9000lb. of good sugar annually. There is also a seat for grist and saw mills on it, equal to any in that neighbourhood, and upon a never failing stream of water. The upland is rich, with plenty of timber, and part under cultivation. This farm is well improved with a good orchard, houses and fencing, and rented last year for produce equal to sixty pounds per an. Mr. Joseph Butler, at the Warm Springs, will shew it. I will sell all, or any of the above lands for cash, or upon credit, or take in exchange for them lands in Fairfax County, or Lots of land in the town of Alexandria, or the city of Washington.

R. T. HOOE.

Jan. 25. 1800. tf

The SUBSCRIBER,

At his Medical Store in Prince Street, between Fairfax and Water Streets, has for sale,

WHOLESALE OR RETAIL,

A LARGE AND GENERAL ASORTMENT OF

Drugs, Patent Medicines, Dye-Stuffs & Paints.

OF THE BEST QUALITY,

Which he will sell on the most reasonable terms for cash, or to punctual customers on a short credit.

AMONG THEM ARE:

Pale and red bark, Camphor,

Rhubarb, Glauber Salts, Creamor Tartar, Senna, Liquorish ball, and refined do.—Pinkroot, Castor and Seneka oil, Gum Opium Gum Dragon, Calomel, Ipecacuanha, Tartar Emetic, Japioca, Sago, and Patent do.—Columba root, Gowland's Lotion, Anderson's pills Hoopers do.—British oil, Ess. Peppermint, Daffy's Elixir, Stoughton's do.—Huxham's Tincture Bark, Hill's Balsom of Honey, Salt of Lemons and Salt of Vinegar—Allum, Aqua Fortis, Oil Vitriol, Ground fustic, Ground and unground Red wood, Blacking Cakes & Balls, Walden's Black and red Ink powder, Spanish Whiting and Spanish Brown, Stone & Yellow ochre, Umber, Venetian Red, White & black lead, Rose & Dutch Pink, Red Chalk, Prussian blue, Patent Yellow, Pumi Stone, Copal Varnish, Emery, Wash balls, Tooth Brushes, Gold leaf, Camell Hair Pencils, Best Durham Mustard, Best Crown Lancets & Common do. Bottle Corks & Castile Soap, &c. &c. &c.

He has likewise a few Marble Slates for which he will sell cheap.

JAMES KENNEDY Junr.

August 26.

Dancing School.

C. LEFEBVRE

RESPECTFULLY informs his pupils and the public, that his Dancing School will be re-opened by the first day of October next, where he will teach the different Minuets, Cotillions, Set Dances, and all kinds of Reels, with the most fashionable steps now in use.

The times of tuition will be from two to six o'clock every Wednesday evening, and the whole of Saturday. The quarterly charge will be Eight Dollars only.

His French School will be opened on the same day—He also wishes to instruct a few gentleman in the art of fencing.

Sept. 6.

Freight wanted for Boston.

The Sloop MARY, Captain HAYDEN, will sail in a few days for Boston, and will take 400 or 500 bls. of Flour on moderate freight.

For sale on board said Sloop—12,000 *feet lumber, one half clear stuff; E. India Sugars; Brandy in Kegs; Russia Duck; Soap and Cordage.*

For particulars please to enquire of the master on board or to

J. FAXON and CO.

Sept. 4.

Prince William County Court, July 7, 1800.

William Wilson, Plaintiff, against Wm. B. Magruder & James Lorimer, Def'ts } In Ch'ry.

THE Defendant, Magruder, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the Act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the said William B. Magruder is not an inhabitant of this state—on the motion of the plaintiff, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Magruder, do appear here on the first day of the next October Court, to answer the bill of the complainant; and that the defendant, Lorimer, and all others residing in this state, indebted to or having any of the said Magruder's effects in their hands, do not pay, convey away, or secrete any such debt or effects, until the further order or decree of this Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in one of the newspapers published in the town of Alexandria, for two months successively, and at the front door of the Court House of this County.

A Copy—Teste

JOHN WILLIAMS, Clk.

Washington Tavern,

PETER HEISKELL

ACQUAINTS his former customers and the public in general, that he has removed from Staunton and established an Inn at the corner of King and Pitt Streets, Alexandria.

He deems it necessary to inform the public that, by a late regulation, the Northern and Southern Mail Stages will take in passengers at his house every morning, at 8 o'clock. Their names to be entered at the Bar with Mr. Brock; therefore those who wish to call on him will be set down at his doors, and the same attention paid them as if they had originally entered at the Stage Office.

He has a few good HORSES to HIRE.

August 9.

Doctor T. Flloyd

BEGS permission to inform the inhabitants of Alexandria and its vicinity, that he has settled in this Town, and intends to practise physic.

Having studied midwifery in London, under that celebrated professor, Dr. Leake, and practised a considerable time in the Westminster Lying-In Hospital, he has had uncommon opportunities of acquiring an intimate knowledge of the

DISEASES of WOMEN & CHILDREN,

which, with 18 years practice in America, induces him to flatter himself that he shall be able to justify any confidence with which he may be favored by the ladies of Alexandria.

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